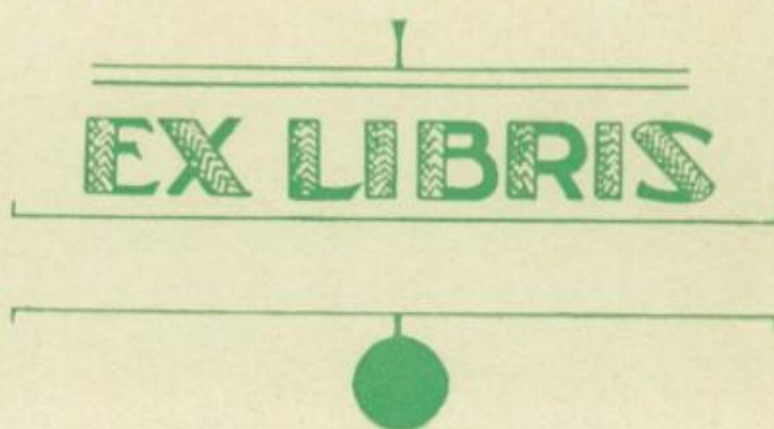




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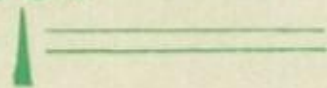
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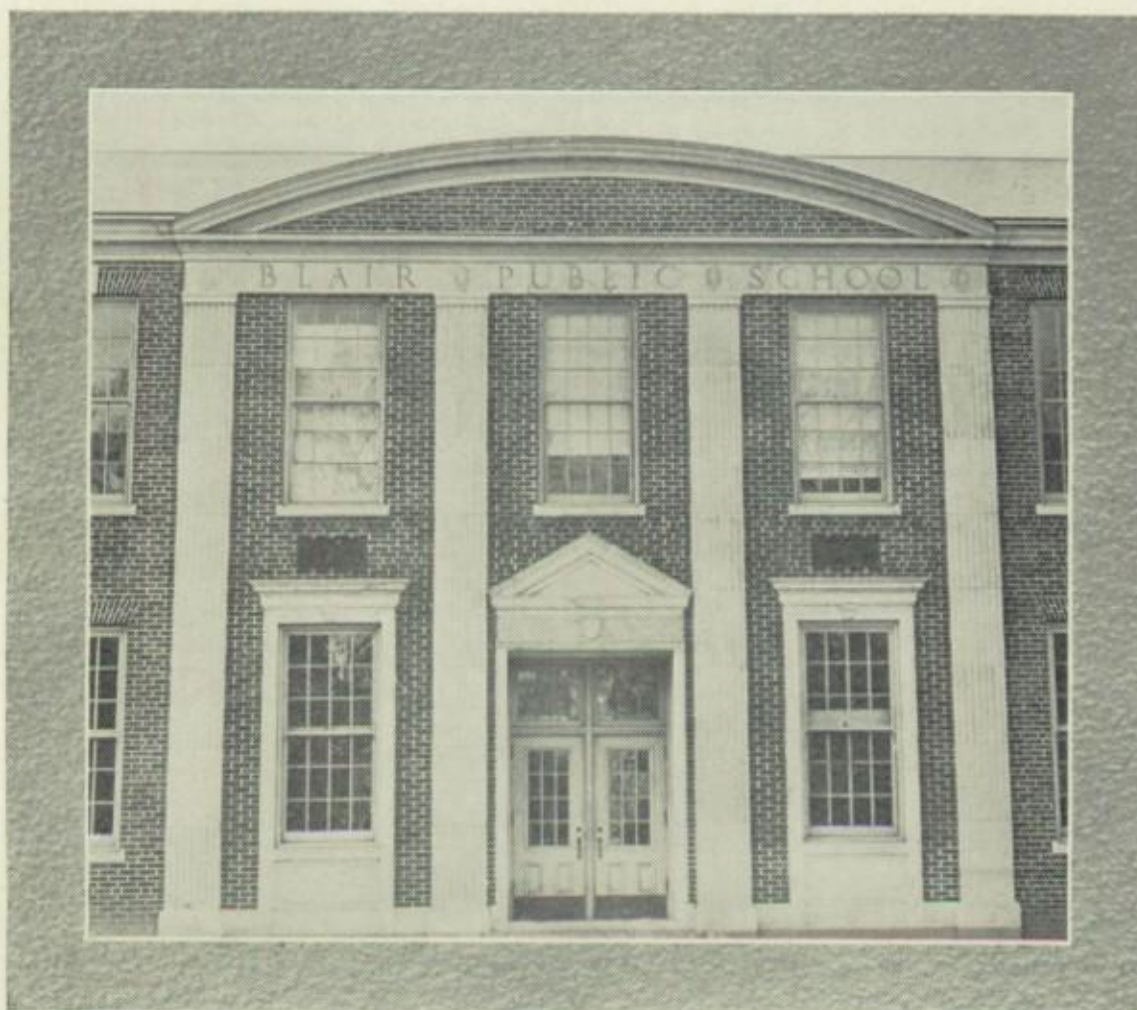
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DEDICATION

Because he has always been fair,
because he has really been a help
to us, and because we like and
admire him, we dedicate this 1931
"Tattler" to our good friend, Mr.
F. E. Flack - - - - -



PREFACE

That Blair High people may cherish forever the memories of their delights, disappointments, and successes during this year of Blair High's history, we put forth this 1931 "Tattler" - - - - -



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ADMINISTRATION





*D. V. Masser, A.B.
Iowa State University*

LIVING WELL

A MESSAGE TO THE BLAIR HIGH STUDENT BODY

It is not how long you have lived, but how well you have lived that counts in the battle of life. The school is a laboratory for the preparation of life to live well. Quite often the students of Blair High fail to realize what wonderful opportunities are at hand. We have one of the most beautiful school homes in the state. It is not merely a public building, but it is your fine home at least six hours a day and five days a week. The rooms are equipped with furniture, laboratory equipment etc., the best that money can buy. The best and most recent text-books are placed in your hands, a gift from the tax-payers of the district. You have the most favorable environment and the best tools with which you may make your life richer and fuller.

In order to possess the better things in life, mere book knowledge is not enough. We must develop poise, keen judgment, discrimination, social qualities, and the ability to speak well. We must gain the confidence of our friends. We must have good habits and a good personality. All of these are factors in the process of living well.

D. V. MASSER, City Superintendent



F. E. FLACK, B.S.
Tarkio College
University of Nebraska
High School Principal

The most powerful dynamic in our educational progress of today is the sense of national and state civic pride and the firm belief that education is the best investment that a nation can make for her moral greatness and the welfare of her people.

Blair exemplifies this ideal in her Senior High School by educating her students for service and citizenship. They may then, as men and women, take their part in the world of affairs, bravely and wisely, and can help to build a society fit to possess and enjoy the blessings of freedom and self-government.

F. E. Flack.

The junior high school is one of the most recent developments of the American School System, having arisen out of the need for an institution to bridge the gap between the traditional grammar school and the high school and to provide a program decidedly greater in scope and content.

It is not merely a school in which the seventh, eighth, and ninth grades are segregated; it is designed to include: a departmental organization of subject matter and teaching, the organization of student activities in accordance with the needs and interests of adolescent boys and girls, and a development of the individual rather than the group.

H. N. White.



H. N. WHITE
University of Nebraska
Junior High Principal



RUTH DREWLOW, B.S.
University of Nebraska
Commercial



MILDRED BUSER, A.B.
Morningside College
English



J. STEWART LICHLITER, B.S.
Midland College
Mathematics



HARRIET HELMS, B.S.
University of Nebraska
Commercial



MARY TYRELL, B.S.
University of Nebraska
Science



HAROLD J. MARREN, A.B.
Peru State Teachers' College
History



PERNA HUTCHINSON, A.B.
University of Nebraska
Latin

KENNETH C. DEGROFF
McThale School of Music
Music

MARGARET KELLY
Wayne State Teachers' College
University of Nebraska
Normal Training

MILDRED MCGILL
University of Nebraska
Junior High History

WANDA WILLMORE, B.S.
University of Nebraska
Home Economics

BESSIE EBERHARDT, A.B.
Nebraska Wesleyan
Junior High Science

MADGE KING
Drake University
University of Nebraska
Junior High English



THE
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G.A.A. Pres.



Junior Hangout



Lucky Charlie



Lady Macbuser



The Editors



The first
Snowfall



Beware!!



Buelah



Chase us, girls



Home Ec.



Pedagogues Four



Horatia at the Bridge



CLASSES



HELEN ANDREASON

Commercial

Glee Club 1, 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Home Economics Club 1; Orchestra 2.



HARRIET ALLEN

General

Declamatory 4; Commercial Club 3; Basketball 1; Band 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2; Glee Club 1, 2; Home Economics Club 1; Class Play 3.

MAC ALLEN

General

Commercial Club 3, 4.



RUBY BADGEROW

General

Commercial Club 3; Glee Club 3, 4; Class Play 3; Operetta 3; Declamatory 4.

DORIS BECK

Commercial

Commercial Club 3, 4; Declamatory 3, 4; Debate 4; Glee Club 4; G. A. A. 4; Honor Society 3.



ALICE BEEKMANN

College Preparatory

Breezy Bits Editor 3; Class Play 3; Commercial Club 3; Class President 3; Debate 2, 3, 4; Declamatory 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Boys' Glee Club Pianist 3; Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Quill and Scroll Pres. 3; Tattler Editor, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2; "13" Club 2, 3, 4; "13" Club Pres. 4; Basketball 1.

MARIE BOLLN

Commercial

Commercial Club 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Sec. and Treas. Class 4.



WILLIAM CAPPIS

General

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Capt. 4; Basketball 2, 3; Class Pres. 2; Class Play 3; Quill and Scroll 3; Breezy Bits Staff 2, 3, 4; Tattler Staff 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; "B" Club 2, 3, 4; Vice Pres. 3.

VERNER CARLSEN

College Preparatory

Glee Club 4; Football 4; Basketball 4; Track 4; Operetta 4.



VIGGO CARLSEN

College Preparatory

Glee Club 4.

HARRIET CHRISTENSEN

Commercial

Commercial Club 3, 4; G. A. A., 4; Treas. G. A. A. 4.



HAZEL CHRISTENSEN

Normal Training

Glee Club 3; Operetta 3; Normal Training Club 3, 4; Pres. Normal Training Club 4.

AUSTIN BEALS

College Preparatory

Commercial Club 4; Operetta 3, 4; Class Play 2, 3; Track 2; Football 2; Glee Club 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1.



ROBERT CURTISS

General

Basketball 3.

DELORES DERIEG

Normal Training

Normal Training Club 3, 4; G. A. A. 4.



FLORENCE DIXON

College Preparatory

Band 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Declamatory 4; Honor Society 3, 4; "13" Club 4.

LUCILLE FEER

Normal Training

Home Economics Club 1; Normal Training Club 3, 4; Operetta 1.



MYRLE FRENCH

Commercial

Glee Club 1, 2; Orchestra 3, 4; Home Economics Club 1; Honor Society 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 3, 4.

JOHN P. GILLISPIE

Commercial

Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Vice Pres. "B" Club 3; Pres. "B" Club 4; "B" Club 2, 3, 4.



MYRTLE GILBERTSON

Normal Training

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Normal Training Club 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Sec. 1; Commercial Club 3; Home Economics Club 1.

DOROTHEA GILBERTSON

College Preparatory

"13" Club 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Honor Society 3; Home Economics Club 1; Class Play 3, 4; Class Vice Pres. 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Operetta 3, 4.



MARVIN GOLLEHON

General

Football 3, 4; "B" Club 3, 4; Vice-Pres.; "B" Club 4; "13" Club 4; Commercial Club 3; Bus. Mgr. Tattler 4; Breezy Bits Staff 4.

FRIEDA GROTHUSEN

Normal Training

Glee Club 3; Operetta 3; Normal Training Club 3, 4; Sec. and Treas. Normal Training Club 3; Honor Society 4.



ELVA HANSEN

Commercial

Class Play 3; Declamatory 3; Commercial Club 3, 4.

FRANCES HARRISON

General

Band 4; Commercial Club 3; G. A. A. 4; Declamatory 4.



LESLIE HANSEN

Commercial

Football 4; Basketball 4; Track 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; "B" Club 4.

HARRY HUSK

Commercial

Commercial Club 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4.



MARJORIE JANSEN

Normal Training

Normal Training Club 3, 4; Normal Training Club President 4; Band 4; Honor Society 4.

EDWARD JENKINS

General

Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3; Football 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3; Track 2, 3, 4; Debate 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.



STANLEY JENSEN

College Preparatory

Band 3, 4; President of Class 4; Bus. Mgr. Breezy Bits 4; "B" Club 3, 4; Ass't Sec. and Treas. "B" Club 4; Football 4; Basketball 3, 4; Track 3, 4.

FREDRICK KEGLAR

Commercial Club

Glee Club 4; Band 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Football 4.



FRANCES KELLY

General

Track 1, 2; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; "13" Club 4; Sec. and Treas. "13" Club 4; Breezy Bits Staff 3; Tattler Staff 4; Quill and Scroll 3.

DEAN KIRNAN

General

Glee Club 3; Operetta 3; "13" Club 3, 4; Cheer Leader 3; Class Play 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Breezy Bits Staff 4.



WALTER KOENIG

Commercial

Commercial Club 3, 4.

CLARA KROGH

College Preparatory

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3; Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Declamatory 2; Home Economics Club 1; Class Play 3.



IRENE MAE LARSON

Commercial

Commercial Club 3, 4.

BERTRAND LINDEN

Commercial
Commercial Club 3, 4.



NORMA LUND

Normal Training

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 1; Normal Training Club 3, 4; Sec. and Treas. Normal Training Club 4.

GRACE McCORMICK

Normal Training
Normal Training Club 3, 4



ALLEN McDONALD

General

Glee Club 3, Commercial Club 3, Normal Training Club 3; Vice President Normal Training Club 3; Operetta 3.

BERT McMILLAN

Commercial
Football 4; Basketball 4; Honor Society 1; Commercial Club 3, 4.



MAXINE MATHEWS

College Preparatory

Glee Club 4; Commercial Club 4; Operetta 4.

FREDRICKA MATTHIESEN

College Preparatory

Class President 2; Class Treasurer 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2; Tattler Staff 4; Honor Society 1, 3, 4; Quill and Scroll 3; Debate 3, 4; Declamatory 1; Commercial Club 3; Class Play 3.



BURNETTE MATZ

General

Commercial Club 4.

RAYMOND MATZ

College Preparatory

Glee Club 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Track 4; "B" Club 3, 4.



DOROTHY MENCKE

Commercial

Glee Club 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Operetta 3, 4.

VERA NELSON

Normal Training

Class Treasurer 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Breezy Bits 4; Honor Society 1, 4; Declamatory 1, 3, 4; Normal Training Club 3, 4; Commercial Club 3.



FRANCES O'HANLON

General

Commercial Club 3; Operetta 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; G. A. A. 4; Basketball 1.

RAYMOND PAULSON
Commercial
Commercial Club 3, 4.



ADOLF PETERSON
General
Band 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3;
"13" Club, 2, 3, 4; Basket-
ball 2; Class President 1;
Class Vice President 3;
Class Play 3; Operetta 2, 3.

ROZELLA PHILLIPS
Commercial
Commercial Club 3, 4;
Home Economics Club 1;
Glee Club 1, 2.



IRIS RODEL
Commercial
Home Economics Club 1;
Basketball 1; Honor Society
1; Declamatory 3; Com-
mercial Club 3, 4; G. A. A.
4.

SELMA ROSENBAUM
Normal Training
Normal Training Club 3, 4.



RAYMOND RUWE
Commercial
Commercial Club 3, 4.

CLARENCE SAPPEN-
FIELD
Commercial
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basket-
ball 2, 3, 4; Track 4; Com-
mercial Club 3, 4; Operetta
2, 3, 4.



OLGA SCHULZ
Commercial
Breezy Bits Staff 3; Tattler
Staff 4; Home Economics
Club 1; Declamatory 3, 4;
Commercial Club 3, 4.

LUELLA SIMPSON
Normal Training
Home Economics Club 1;
G. A. A. 4; Declamatory 3;
Normal Training Club 3, 4.



FRANCES SIERT
Commercial
Home Economics Club 1;
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Oper-
etta 2, 3, 4; Commercial
Club 3, 4; Commercial Club
President 4; Band 2, 3, 4;
Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Honor
Society 1, 2; G. A. A. 4.

ALSYNE SMITH
College Preparatory
Band 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1,
2, 3, 4; Orchestra 4; Oper-
etta 1, 3, 4; Home Econom-
ics Club 1; Basketball 1;
Vice Pres. Home Economics
Club 1; Honor Society 1,
2, 3; Commercial Club 3.



ELSIE STEVENS
Commercial
Honor Society 1, 2, 3; Home
Economics Club 1; G. A. A.
4; Basketball 1; Commer-
cial Club 3, 4; Commercial
Club Sec. and Treas. 4;
President National Audubon
Association 4.

JEAN STEWART

Commercial

Home Economics Club 1,
Glee Club 1, 2, 3.; Com-
mercial Club 3, 4.



DOROTHY STEWART

Normal Training

Normal Training Club 3, 4.

MELBOURNE STRICK-
LETTE

General

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Foot-
ball Captain 4; Track 3, 4;
Basketball 3, 4; Basketball
Captain 4; "B" Club 3, 4.



RUTH TILDEN

College Preparatory

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band
2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4;
Operetta 2, 3, 4; "13" Club
3, 4; Home Economics Club
1; Honor Society 1, 2, 3;
Normal Training Club 3;
Commercial Club 3.

LOIS TOFTE

Commercial

Orchestra 3, 4; Operetta 3,
4; Commercial Club 3, 4;
Glee Club 3, 4.



DOROTHY TYSON

Commercial

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4;
Class Secretary 3; Orchestra
1; Operetta 1, 2, 3; Breezy
Bits Staff 3; "13" Club 2,
3; Home Economics Club
1; Declamatory 2; Econom-
ics Club 1; Declamatory 2;
Commercial Club 3, 4; Class
Play 3.

DOROTHY VOSS

Normal

Normal Training Club 3, 4;
Commercial Club 4.



GLENN VOSS

General

Glee Club 4; Orchestra 3,
4; Operetta 4.

ABRAHAM WARRICK

Commercial

Commercial Club 3, 4; Foot-
ball 3, 4.



HELEN WALRATH

Commercial

Glee Club 3, 4; Orchestra
1, 2; Operetta 3, 4; Com-
mercial Club 3, 4.

FLORENCE WOLFF

College Preparatory

Band 2, 3, 4; Commercial
Club 3, 4; Home Economics
Club 1; Home Economics
Club Pres. 1; Honor Society
1, 2, 3; Class Play 3;
Operetta 3, 4; Orchestra 3,
4.



NORMAN WULFF

Commercial

Commercial Club 3, 4.

WHEN SENIORS WERE SAINTLY



FLORENCE DIXON



ALICE BEEKMANN



BILL CAPPS



ELVA HANSEN



FRANCES O'HANLON



OLGA SCHULZ



CLARA KROGH



RUBY BADGEROW



ADOLF PETERSON



DORIS
BECK



KELLY



MYRLE
FRENCH



FREDRICKA MATHIESON



LOIS TOFTE



FRANCES SIERT



MARIE BOLLN



DOROTHY STUART



DOT and MYRTLE
GILBERTSON

Le Voyage du Bel Aire

On May 22, 1951, the good submarine Bel Aire No. I set out on a journey to the Antarctic regions. It was the first journey of this kind attempted since the Arctic expedition of the Nautilus in 1931. The Commandant of the craft was called "Capp" (is). Capp was considered the outstanding adventurous explorer of the country at that time, having "sailed the seven seas" in air craft and sea craft. In planning this expedition, he arranged to take only sixty-five passengers. Thousands and thousands of letters were received by his private secretary, Elsie Stevens, from applicants desirous of taking the trip. Capp rejected all but those from the most famous of applicants.

When the submarine set out on that bright spring day it carried a crew of notorious, famous, ingenious and remarkable people selected by the brave Capp. Friends and relatives sniffed and waved handkerchiefs from the dock, and the Bel Aire No. I was off.

Days passed, weeks, months and several years passed but nothing was heard from the Bel Aire. One stormy day in March, three years later, the good ship O Fice commanded by Lieutenant Floyd Everett Flack spied the periscope of a submarine on high seas. At the same moment a radio message was received from the submarine Bel Aire No. I, asking if the passengers might come on board the ship. Lieutenant Flack, recognizing it as the craft that had set out three years ago, and realizing how anxious the people would be to see persons of a civilized race, consented. The chief steward, a little middle-aged black Irishman by the name of O'Kelly was summoned and as he appeared everyone on board laughed at his queerness. It seems that Lieutenant Flack and O'Kelly started a close friendship back in 1931 in Blair High School. O'Kelly was asked to announce each of the remarkable personages as they came on board from the Bel Aire No. I.

The passengers stepped forth one by one and O'Kelly announced: "Coach M. W. Stricklette of Notre Dame." O'Kelly stares a moment, slaps him on the back and yells, "Sticky". He was captain of the Blair High School 1930 football team and is considered the modern Knute Rockne. "Sticky" informs the Lieutenant and steward that they will recognize many more of the passengers.

"Coach J. P. Gillispie and Assistant Coach Abraham L. Warrick of the University of Nebraska." Abe and John are heartily greeted.

"Ruth E. Tilden, M.D., and Florence Wolff." Ruthie is famed for her service to the world in medicine. Florence is her head assistant and has given her life to the advancement of the science of nurse's training.

O'Kelly beams as he announces his old pal, "Karl Adolf Peterson, President of the United States."

"The next in line are Verner and Viggo Carlsen, modern chemists, the only men who have equalled Albert Einstein who lived in the early part of the century. They have succeeded in finding the fourth dimension and also have discovered a metal more valuable than gold.

"Mrs. Glenn Voss, nee Dorothy Stewart, and Rev. Glenn Voss are missionaries in the newly discovered island of Beeache Es.

"Madame Freedricca Matteauzn is a famed opera star. A. Brooks Bealz appears as her manager and also furnishes hokem obligatos.

"The editor of the New York Times, Marvin Gollehon, next comes on deck with his crew of reporters including Raymond Paulsen, Raymond Ruwe, Raymond Matz, and Raymond Fackler.

"Countess Maxine Enkins appears elegantly dressed. She married the Count de Edej Enkins shortly after he received his title.

"Ruby Badgerow is known as the founder of the largest Orphans' Home in existence. The home is situated in Mexico City and Mary Bolln is financial manager."

O'Kelly and Lieut. Flack are consumed with admiration of these old friends of theirs. But O'Kelly's job is not over. "Honorable Alice Beekmann, L.L.D., the greatest prosecuting attorney in the world since the days of Portia. Her private secretary, Elva Hansen, appears next.

"Madame Olga Schulz is a noted German artist. She has produced the mural hangings for the new German Kaiser's state house. Rozella Phillips takes care of her business transactions.

"The Master Farmers of the world are next in line, Allen McDonald, G. B. Linden, Walter Koenig and Fred Kegler. The Master Home-Makers are: Dorothy Mencke, Clara Krogh, and Lois Tofte.

"Harriett Allen and Frances Siert are managing the largest system of hotels and tea-rooms in the world. Bert McMillan is their business manager.

"Next appear the famed movie stars. Vera Nelson has taken Helen Kane's place. Doris Beck has replaced Marie Dresshler, and Mac Allen is a second Rudolph Valentino.

"A group of adventurous school teachers from Columbia University include Dorothy Voss, Selma Rosenbaum, Grace McCormick, Norma Lund, and Marjorie Jansen. These women have given themselves up to the creation of the 'perfect American youth'.

"The American Ambassador to Japan, Norman Wulf, appears with his secretary, Helen Andreason. With him is the Consul to Budapest, Harry Husk, and his secretary, Harriet Christensen.

"Rowena Alsyne Smith, a notorious photographer has been paid \$75,000 to film the trip for the manager of the Paramount Pictures, Leslie Hansen.

"Frieda Grothusen and Hazel Christensen have given up their lives for the sake of being with each other. They have been sought in marriage by nobility from every corner of the earth, but they care more for each other.

"Rudy Valee has been out of the picture since 1940, and his place is filled by a new vagabound lover, Clarence Sappenfield. Sappenfield now comes on board.

"Frances O'Hanlon is perhaps the most interesting character on board. Because of her extensive reading, she has created an Inter-National Story Hour Association. She and her aides, Luella Simpson and Iris Rodel, travel from country to country drawing crowds of little children to hear their wonderful tales.

"Lucille Feer and Delores Derieg are well-known advancers of Mountain Education. They have taught in the Ozarks for twenty years.

"Stanley Jensen is the National Executive of Boys' Clubs in America. Before acquiring this position, he played on Nebraska's football team making All-American.

"Myrle French plays the 'cello in the Roxy Symphony Orchestra and Helen Walrath plays 'fiddle' in the same group.

"Dottee Gylbertson is Zeigfield II's pride and joy. The follies are now not only presented in Broadway, but also in the Arctic Regions.

"Senator Frances Harrison has served in the Senate for a period of eighteen years and is on the Democratic ticket for Vice-President in the election of 1956. Jean Stewart is her private secretary.

"Madam Dorothy Tyson is considered the greatest teacher of aesthetic dancing in the world. She has her school located in Nova Scotia."

Lo and behold! who is it that has entered from the Bel Aire No. 1? All of these famous personages are none other than those who made up the class who were graduated from Blair High in 1931. But who are these two elegant ladies who appear on the deck so aristocratically gowned? They are the hostesses on the O Fice and are recognized as Florence Dixon and Myrtle Gilbertson. Chef Willie Wilson now serves dinner to the class. Lieut. Flack is overjoyed at meeting all this class but he is quite concerned over the fact that the Bel Aire No. 1 has been gone so long.

"The reason is quite plain," says President Peterson, "Capp fell in love with a beautiful young Eskimese maiden and we were obliged to await his pleasure to return."



Class Motto:

Character is the Cornerstone of Success



Gollehon, Lindstrom, Husk, Christensen, Gnuse, Andersen, Iverson, Gustin
 Gilliam, Gallagher, Henricksen, Brumbaugh, Bertelsen, Grimm, De Vinney, Hindley, Andersen
 Frain, Barron, Jensen, Anderson, Erickson, Farnham, Anderson, Hansen, Knofler
 Love, Hansen, Hitchman, French, Curtiss, Johns, Erickson

JUNIOR CLASS

Officers

Reed O'Hanlon	.....	<i>President</i>
Mary Beth Hitchman	.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
Fredrick Nemetz	.....	<i>Secretary and Treasurer</i>
Miss Hutchinson	.....	<i>Sponsor</i>

Junior Class Activities

We just wonder what Blair High would do without Juniors to add spice to life, to worry the teachers with terrible recitations or bright remarks or to fill the vacant seats the Seniors will leave. In fact, it just wouldn't be school without Juniors.

The Junior Class, always peppy and ambitious, has been well represented in all school activities this year and has done its share in bringing more honors to Blair High's ample store.

When calls were made for volunteers in the different activities of school life, the Junior Class responded eagerly and was able to boast of representatives in every one of the various activities. The Junior boys proved mainstays in all forms of athletics. Woodrow Svengaard, Howard Erickson, Walter Gollehon, Rolland Bucklin, Roy Christensen, Clarence Van de Venter, Fredrick Nemetz, and Alvin Brumbaugh lettered in football. In basketball, Walter



Putnam, Maynard, Pierce, Vinton, O'Hanlon, Paulsen, Stork
 Nelson, McMillan, McMillan, Robinson, Peterson, Simonson, Woods, Thompson
 Thompson, Rosenbaum, Venderslev, Putnam, Sorensen, Nelson, Stricklett, Simonsen
 Mackin, Wentworth, Van Duesen, Maher, Mullen, Tucker, Wilkins,

JUNIOR CLASS

Junior Class Activities (Cont.)

Gollehon, Walden George and Rolland Bucklin lettered. Many members of the class took active parts in various musical organizations including band, orchestra, glee club, and the operetta in which several took leads. Irene De Vinney, Reed O'Hanlon and Roy Christensen showed real ability on the debate team. Several Juniors were outstanding in declamatory work. Margaret Maher and Gladys Hanson took honors in the Home Declamatory Contest by winning second and third places respectively. In a Home Commercial contest, Elizabeth Grimm, Helen McMillan and Miriam Jensen were chosen to participate in the District Commercial Contest.

On January 29, the Junior Class presented the class play "Skidding" which proved a wonderful success and a high spot in the history of the class of 1932. It also provided food for the Seniors at a certain social function in the spring.

The climax of a successful year was the Junior-Senior banquet which was held at the close of the school year.

With this, our Junior year closes. It has been a pleasant, busy one. We feel we have done our best, working in co-operation with each other and, we hope, bringing honor to our school. As Juniors we will say no more, but wait patiently until 1932 makes us "mighty Seniors."



Evans, Johnson, Jones, Rosenbaum, Nohrenburg, Sylvis, Carmichael, Runge, Rasmussen
 Matz, Raver, Nelson, Wolff, West, Eliassen, Brown, Jaspersen, Hansen, Allen, Boston
 Rodel, Nicholzen, Stricklett, Short, Harding, Humston, Cappis, Svendgaard, Pemberton,
 Johnson, Bates, Glasgowe
 Kuhr, Armstead, Jensen, Nelson, Morgan, Stewart, Caldwell, Jensen, Wilkins, Gilliam
 Swingholm
 Andreasen, Newell, Stevens, Campbell, McQuarrie, Jensen, Kuhr, Carlsen, O'Hanlon, Allen
 Dereig

SOPHOMORE CLASS

Officers

George Campbell	.....	<i>President</i>
Margaret McQuarrie	.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
Edith Raver	.....	<i>Secretary and Treasurer</i>

Sophomore Class Activities

According to their own words, "We've been kicked and pushed around, but that doesn't keep us from doing what the others do." The Sophomores proved their strength in all school activities. Four Sophomore boys, George Campbell, Russell Sylvis, Edgar Short, and Joe Johnston, lettered in football and the class also made a very good showing in basketball and track. They were represented in "13" Club by Charlotte Armstead, and in Declamatory by Ruth Morgan, Marjorie Kuhr, Bertha Jensen, Esther Carlson, Dorine Glasgowe, and Viola Nelsen. Now here's the grand surprise. In the Home Declamatory contest, the Sophomores received two first places and one third. Esther Carlson was first in Dramatic and Ruth Morgan third. Dorine Glasgowe was first in Humorous. The class may well be proud of these girls.

Next year, it is hoped that being Juniors will not sever from these Sophomores their charm and ability.



Ward, Peterson, Paulsen, Haul, Terrell, Gutschow, Charlotte, Gallagher, Gollehon, Grothe
Lemon, Bellows
Murphy, Antill, Guy, Hansen, Van de Venter, Shriefer, Johnson, Smith, Gallagher, Edwards
Biffar, Haller, Madsen, Paulsen
Curley, Brown, Sublet, Gustin, Wrick, Mundorf, Spanton, Carmichael, Christensen, Johns
Wrick, Guy, Moats, Gilbertson
Ward, Miller, Clausen, Singleton, Vig, Voss, Mundorf, Sheets, Huett, Larsen, Baker, Walrath
Hansen, Venderslev, Keifer, Miller, Juul, Sas, Anderson, Nohrenberg, Hansen, Olsen, Gustin
Morris

FRESHMAN CLASS

Officers

Don Bellows	.....	<i>President</i>
Catherine Sas	.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
Eloise Morris	.....	<i>Secretary and Treasurer</i>
Mr. White	.....	<i>Sponsor</i>

Junior High Activities

There have been many more activities in Junior High this year than in previous years. The reorganization of Junior High has given much better opportunity for extra curricular work.

The Junior High operetta, "Love Pirates of Hawaii," was given in November. This won high praise from those who saw it. Mary Louise Moran, Catherine Jenkins, Don Bellows and Wayne Dudgeon had the leading parts. There were thirty in each of the boys' and girls' choruses.

Under the direction of Mr. Masser, a Junior High basketball team was trained. This team took part in the district tournament at Decatur and won second place. Those who did actual playing were Harold Hansen, Herbert Kolterman, Ray Hansen, Wayne Dudgeon, Billie Harrison, Patrick Quinlan, Arthur Stevens, Donald Nemetz, Leroy Bucklin, Jack Maher, and Earl Walrath. Later they won a home game against Calhoun. In the spring thirty boys turned out for track. Track meets were scheduled with Calhoun, Kennard, and Arlington.



Svengaard, Jensen, Brumbaugh, Krogh, Feer, Linden, Dudgeon, Marshall, McManigal, Hansen, Feer, Gustason, Stevens, Hansen, Houghte, Larson, Stewart, Goodwin, Mose, Hauschildt, McManigal, Kolterman, Nemetz, Englike, Jensen, Gustason, Wolff, Feer, Hovendick, Sorensen, Dixon, Johns, Carmichael, Hopkins, Bohannon, Madsen, Swingholm, Bertelsen, Siert, Wentworth, Dixon, Jenkins, Hanson, Cronstrom, Goldin, Anderson, Heinzerling, Gameron, Beales, Foley, Jensen, Walrath, Moran, Peterson, Maher, Stewart, Hansen, Quinlan, Peterson, Reuling, Enyart, Halstead, Carlson

EIGHTH GRADE

Junior High Activities (Cont.)

Malcolm Curley has voiced our doings to the world during the year as our reporter on the Breezy Bits Staff.

Several convocations have been enjoyed during the year. One of these was arranged from Junior High talent; the others were hired entertainers.

Mr. White trained several contestants for the County Spelling Contest. Mary Louise Moran won first in oral and entered the state contest.

A Dramatic Club was organized under the direction of Miss King. The members presented a Christmas program. Mary Louise Moran was elected president.

A Folk Dancing Club was organized and directed by Miss McGill. Several dances were studied and learned. The club was handicapped by not being able to secure a suitable room for work.

Toward the end of the year Mr. DeGroff began training a Junior High Boys' Glee Club.

Georgia Antill, Elly Marie Larsen, Julius Peterson, Leora Wrick, and Mary Louise Moran took part in the declamatory contest. None of these placed but were given much encouragement by the judge.

Thus we close a successful year for the newly organized Blair Junior High School.



Norris, Carter, Schultz, Vinton, King, Weber, Eliassen, Ward, Betts, King, Lund, Ladwig
 Van de Venter, Thompson
 Hemphill, Sylvis, Mundorf, Marshall, Reeves, Johns, Green, Christensen, Matthiesen, Har-
 rison, Lawrence, Boch, Baer, Eliassen, Frain
 Metziinger, Carlson, Bartley, Hitchman, Miller, Allen, Nelson, Rosenbaum, Pate, Maynard
 Enyeart, Mundorf, McCormick, Pounds
 Warrick, Rathmann, Beaty, Walters, Olsen, Johnsen, Campbell, Hanson, Murdoch, Haus-
 childt, Gustin, Stricklette, Stricklett, Erikson, Bucklin
 Jensen, Sorensen, Stanley, Allen, Sherman, Krogh, Axelsen, Hillman, Reynolds, Gustin
 McMurtry, Stricklett, Epperly, Jacobs

SEVENTH GRADE

IN MEMORIAM

Burdette Smith

1916—1930

It is marvelous to behold how quickly the scenes flash and change in a movie. Just so do the scenes of life change suddenly.

Last fall you were a boy among us, laughing, vivacious and carefree. You were a leader among boys and a joy to those who knew you. Then, in a flash, the Master Photographer changed this scene. He took you to a land where every scene is a happy one.

Adieu, Burdette. Your memory will never vanish from our minds.



Safety Patrol



"Kayo"



Through School Together



Flavor and Willie



A Garrulous Gang



Why Athletes
Leave Home



Seeing is Believing



"B" Club 'Nitiatiion



Real Romance



Poor Petite Pansy



Oh, Boys!



Handsome Hans



St. Patrick



Charlotte and Shorty



Faculty Row



Brookie and Beckmann



Sophomore Sals



ATHLETICS





Lichtliter, Svengaard, Bucklin, Stricklette, Short, Jensen, Sylvis, Johnson, Gillispie, Carlson
 Marren
 Nemetz, Fackler, Gollehon, Kegler, Christensen, Erickson, Hansen, Van de Venter
 Gollehon, Marshall, McMillan, Parker, Campbell, Christensen, Lindstrom, Brumbaugh

The Football Squad

THE SCHEDULE

September	27	Blair	0	Benson	33
October	3	Blair	6	Decatur	26
October	10	Blair	7	Lyons	20
October	17	Blair	25	Wahoo	0
October	24	Blair	6	Oakland	0
November	7	Blair	13	Bancroft	0
November	15	Blair	6	Central Reserves	6
November	28	Blair	6	Tekamah	13



MELBOURNE
STRICKLETTE

Fullback
"Sticky" was a scrappy
captain who will be hard
to replace.

WOODROW
SVENDGAARD

End
"Woody" was a small but
mighty purple and white
warrior.

VERNER CARLSON

End
Verner more than fulfill-
ed his 50 per cent of the
end proposition.

STANLEY JENSEN

Halfback
"Stan" played faultless
football all the season.

LESLIE HANSEN

Center
We didn't need any more
line when we had "Les"
as center.

JOHN GILLISPIE

Guard
"Gulpsie" is Irish and—
Oh, what football player!

ABRAHAM WARRICK

End
"Abe" was the scrappiest
end Blair has had in
"many moons".

HOWARD ERICKSON

Guard
"Erick" has plenty of
"stuff" in him and he
will be back next year.

WALTER GOLLEHON

Quarterback
"Walt" was handicapped
for pounds but his head
made up for it.

ROLLAND BUCKLIN

Halfback
"Buck" is small but he
could surely hook Stan's
passes.

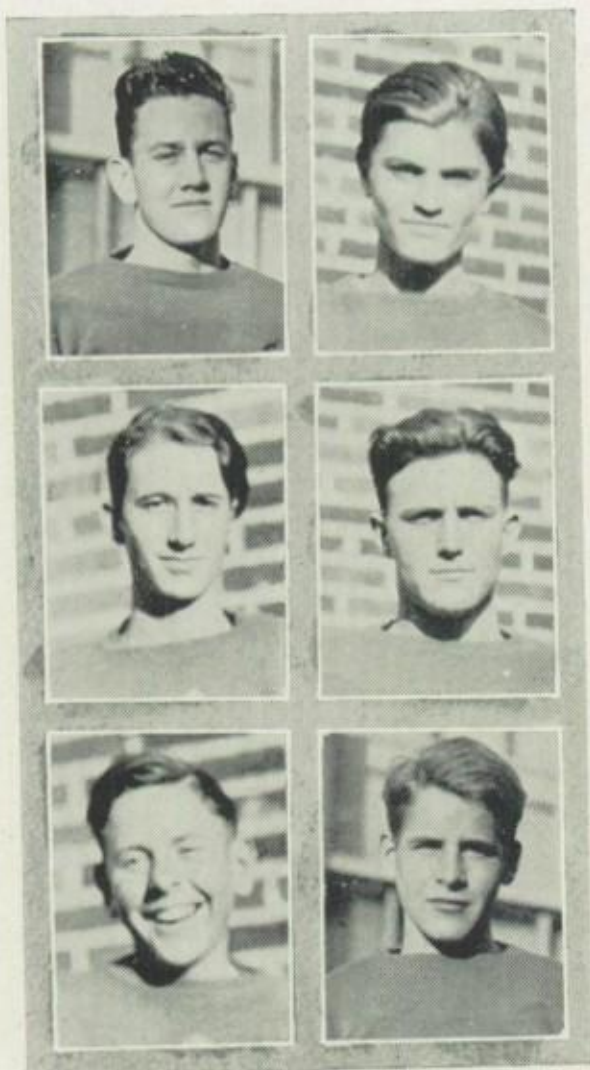
ROY CHRISTENSEN

Guard
"Christy" is an excellent
guard and will be back
next year.

CLARENCE
VAN DE VENTER

"Vandy" showed plenty of
fight and great things are
expected.





FREDERICK NEMETZ
Halfback
"Freddie" is small but he's
a mean pass snagger.

JOE JOHNSTON
Tackle
Joe was one of the most
consistent men on the
team.

EDGAR SHORT
Tackle
"Ed" always sent oppon-
ents home fearing Blair.

ALVIN BRUMBAUGH
Tackle
"Abbo" showed us that he
could keep up the good
family name.

RUSSELL SYLVIS
Tackle
"Russ" was one of the
team's big men although
it was his first year.

GEORGE CAMPBELL
Guard
George is going to be a
most valuable man in the
next two years.

STUART LICHLITER Coach

Mr. Lichliter is the sort of person whom one likes to know. This smiling coach has brought new enthusiasm and vigor into Blair High School athletics. He has won the friendship of his teams through fairness, ability and personality. This was his first year here and the student body is happy that he will be back again to guide the destinies of Blair High athletics next year. The Senior athletes regret leaving him and whole-heartedly wish success to his coming teams.



Season's Revue

Upon looking over the season and recalling all the disappointments and discouragements, and then looking at the other side of things, any one who knows and is interested in the game of football would call Blair's season a decided success. If any great critic of the game had seen the development of Blair's team from their first day out until the great event on Turkey Day, he would have pronounced it a glorious team.

On September 27, we played our first game with Benson there, and it was due entirely to inexperience and not the lack of fight on the part of the Blair aggregation that Benson emerged victorious to the tune of 33—0.

In the next game on October 3, as usual, the Blair boys were outweighed considerably. Nevertheless the team was scrapping and as a result were the first ones to score. But soon weight and experience began to tell and the Blair team weakened. As a result Decatur won by a score of 26 to 6.

On October 10, Lyons came down with the impression that the name of Blair in athletics was not to be respected any more but soon after the opening whistle blew they began to change their minds. They were completely baffled by Blair's passing attack but we lacked the scoring punch and the game ended with the score 20—7.

October 17 came and with it Homecoming. The game looked doubtful and when the two teams came on the field, the Wahoo boys looking like giants, it was a dark moment but despite all the handicaps, the Wahoo boys could not stop those bullet passes that were here, there and everywhere and they are still trying to figure out how Blair made 25 points against their 0.

The Oakland game on October 24 was one of the best played and hardest fought games ever witnessed. Oakland could not figure out Blair's impregnable passing attack and as a result Oakland lost their first football game to a bunch of "midgets" with a score of 6—0.

November 7, Bancroft came down to visit us. It was in this game that the passing attack worked to perfection and as a result we completed 21 out of 26 attempted passes and Bancroft went home with the short end of a 13—0 score.

On November 15, the team journeyed to Omaha to play the Central Reserves. Central was ahead six points at the end of the first half. But at the beginning of the second, Stricklett ran 60 yards for a touchdown and the game ended in a tie.

On the day of days, Thanksgiving, the team met Tekamah on the Tekamah field. Everyone sensed a victory for Tekamah but the Blair boys outplayed them two to one. However, "breaks" count and as the final whistle blew Blair was on Tekamah's half yard line with one down yet to go. The score was 13—6 in Tekamah's favor.



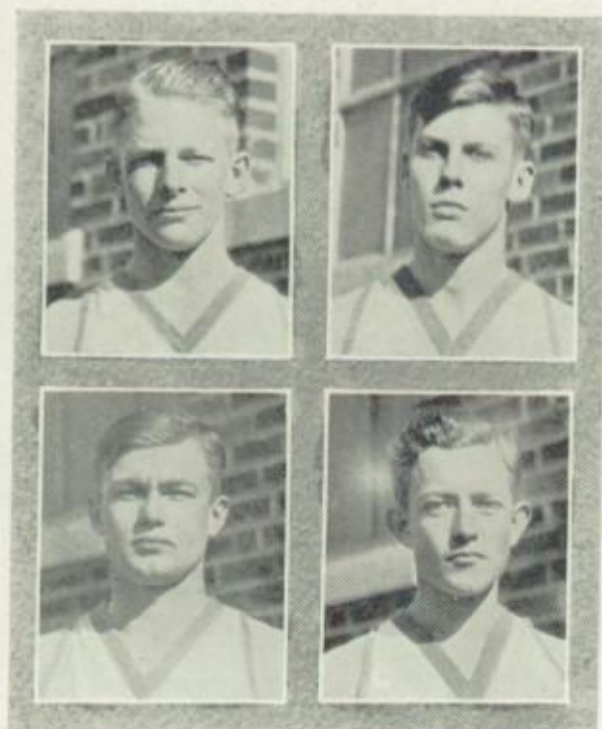
Gallagher, Woods, Short, Jespersen, Sylvis, Gollehon, Smith, Stevens
 Andreassen, O'Hanlon, Sorensen, Van de Venter, Jones, Caldwell, Lichliter
 McMillan, Bellows, George, Jensen, Bucklin, Campbell, Hansen, Vig, Gollehon

Basketball

SCHEDULE

1930—1931

December	12	Blair	6	Benson	65
December	18	Blair	9	Plattsmouth	27
January	9	Blair Res.	8	Ft. Calhoun	13
		Blair	14	Papillion	7
January	14	Blair	11	Oakland	29
January	17	Blair	21	Craig	39
January	21	Blair	10	West Point	47
January	23	Blair Res.	6	Kennard	2
		Blair	20	Lyons	23
January	27	Blair	19	Walthill	23
January	30	Blair	16	Herman	24
February	3	Blair	9	School for Deaf	42
February	6	Blair	11	Decatur	27
February	10	Blair	11	Arlington	34
February	13	Blair	10	Rosalie	23
February	17	Blair	11	Logan	26
March	6	Blair	15	Fullerton	41



MELBOURNE STRICKLETT

Guard

We see in "Sticky" a most successful pilot on the ship of basketball.

STANLEY JENSEN

Center

"Stan" was a clean, consistent player and will surely be missed next year.

LESLIE HANSEN

Guard

We can't imagine seeing an athletic event without "Les's" accompanying smile and ability.

VERNER CARLSON

Guard

Verner was a life-saver to the team. He was an excellent guard and will be missed next year.

WALTER GOLLEHON

Guard

Little "Walt" was always ready, steady, shifty and fast.

WALDEN GEORGE

Forward

Walden knows how to sink the baskets and he will be back again next year.

ROLLAND BUCKLIN

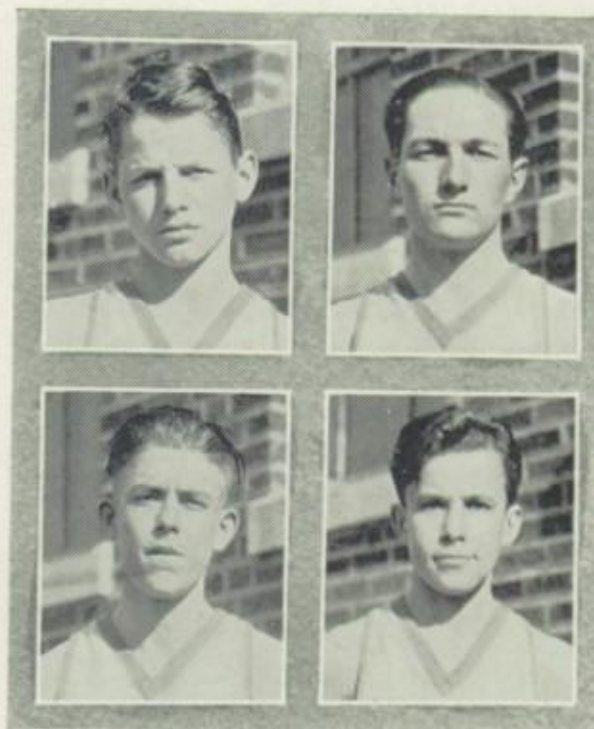
Forward

"Buck" was a valuable forward because of his co-operation.

DONALD BELLOWS

Forward

"Don" although only a Freshman is paving the way for a successful basketball career.





Lichtner, Wulff, O'Hanlon, Van de Venter, Voss, Stricklett, Harding, George, Gollehon, Kelly
 Short, Hanson, Jensen, Sylvis, Carlson, Sylvis, Woods, Gallagher, Campbell
 Love, Ward, Thompson, Vinton, Terrel, Curley, Bucklin, Bellows, Peck

Track

Prospects for Blair's track team appeared to be rather tragic due to the fact that only two men were veterans of the previous year's squad.

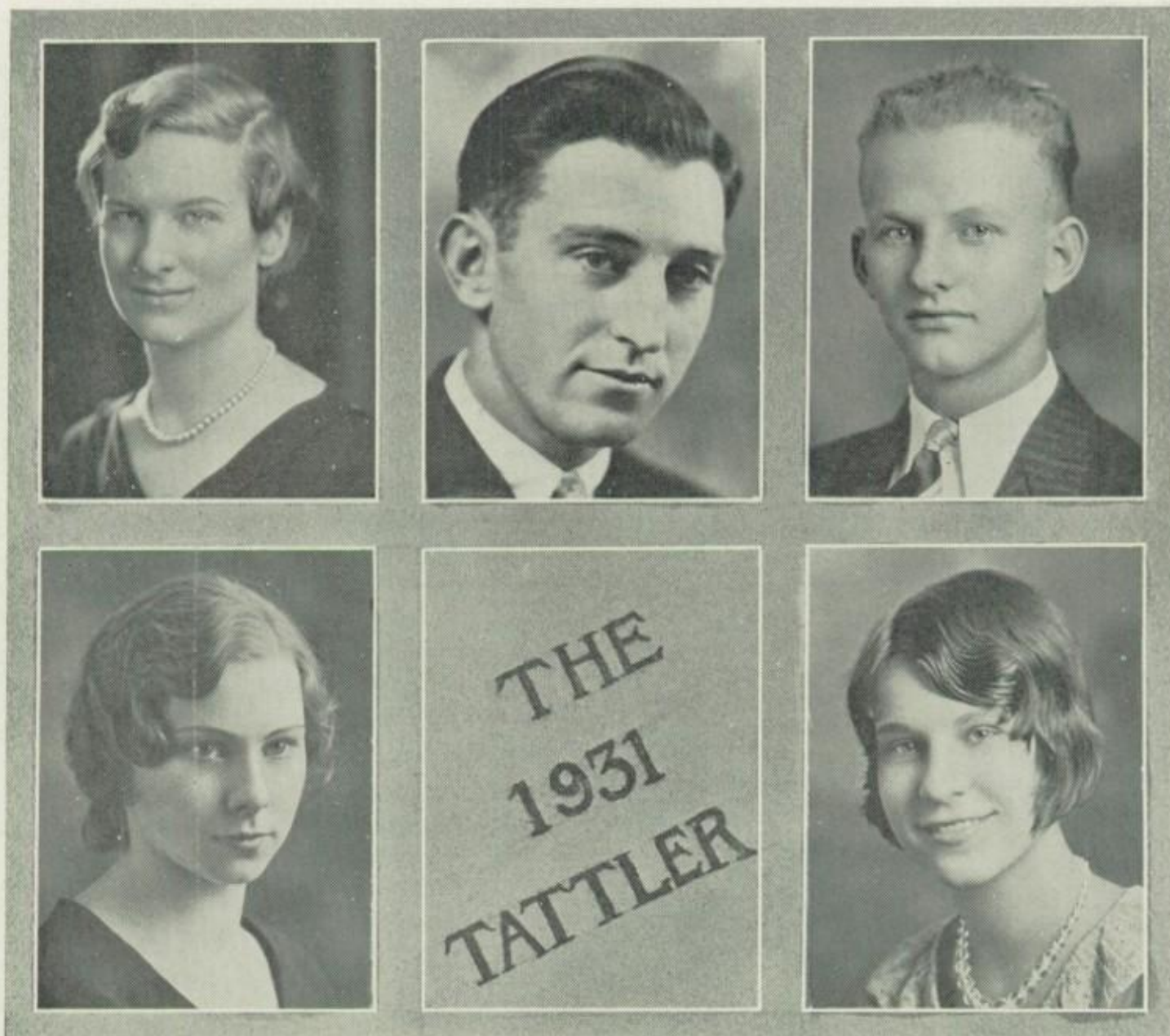
Approximately forty candidates answered the first call for track practice. Among these were thirty fellows who had had no previous track experience. One thing that might help to build a team would be the fact that a new field was graded for the team to practice upon, new equipment was purchased and a good line up of spectacular meets were scheduled, namely: a dual meet with Arlington at Blair April 17, a tri-valley meet at Tekamah April 22, invitation High School meet at Nebraska Wesleyan University April 24, Midland College invitation meet May 2, N. E. C. A. A. Conference at Oakland May 8, and the Nebraska State High School meet at Lincoln May 15 and 16.

Track is a sport which has not received much attention in Blair High School in the past and it is now being pushed into the lime-light as a major sport, being put on a par with football and basketball. It is the sincere wish of the Athletic Director and the Tattler staff that in each successive year Blair High boosters will pull for a better, stronger, and more competitive track team.



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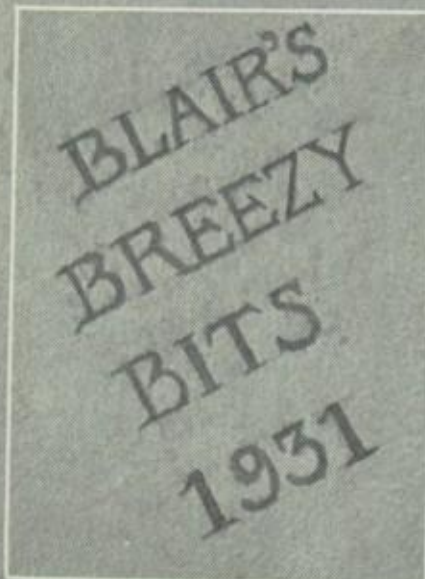
The Staff's Gratitude

Few people stop to realize what a great thing co-operation is. This realization comes very readily upon members of a staff editing a book. Without the willing co-operation of everyone, not only members of the organization but also everyone concerned, the staff is an inert body.

In our case, this desired co-operation has been secured and we sincerely want to express our appreciation to those who helped us put forth this 1931 "Tattler." Without the ever-ready commercial department, the helpful influence of the school administration, the earnest work of students who contributed write-ups and last, but by no means least, the willing co-operation of the business men who advertised in the pages to come, this "Tattler" could not have been published.

We hope you'll like our book.

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Christensen,
Beck,

O'Hanlon,
Matthiesen,

Masser,
Beekmann,

Jenkins
DeVinney

Debate

The Blair Debaters enjoyed a successful debating season. Although there were only two experienced debaters back, Blair made a good showing by coming through with only eight defeats out of twenty-one debates. When Mr. Masser made a call for debaters, early in November, only a small group of people appeared. Few people realize what enjoyable and profitable training is afforded by experience in debating. Those who represented Blair High in debate were Alice Beekmann, Captain, Reed O'Hanlon, Fredricka Matthiesen, Roy Christensen, Doris Beck, Irene DeVinney, and Edward Jenkins. These people have gained valuable experience in thinking, logic and self-expression.

The climax of the season was the district debate tournament at Fremont. Blair won every debate up to the finals, where after a very close debate the decision was given to Plattsmouth. This made Blair High runners-up in the tournament. Alice Beekmann was judged the outstanding speaker at the tournament.

Thus we close another successful debate season.



Schulz,
Kuhr,
Carlson,

Carlson,
Jensen,
Allen,

Beck,
Maher,
Nelson,

Wolff,
Hansen,
Glasgow,

Christensen,
Tofte,
Harrison,
Stewart,
Matz,

Badgerow
Morgan
Nelson

Declamatory

Twenty-two Senior High pupils enrolled for declamatory work this year, under the instruction of Miss Drewelow, Miss Buser and Miss Kelly. Six or seven Junior High pupils also entered the lists.

All worked diligently with the result that the Home Contest held on March 19 and 20 was an interesting and worthwhile event characterized by close competition. In the Oratorical class, Verner Carlsen placed first, Roy Christensen second, in Dramatics, Esther Carlsen first, Harriet Allen second, and in Humorous, Dorine Glasgowe first, Margaret Maher second. While the Junior High aspirants did not win any honors, they deserve special mention for their commendable work. Blair thus won first place in the contest.

The Pre-district Contest was held at Blair on March 27. Our representatives, those who won first in the Home Contest, succeeded in capturing first honors for Blair. Alice Beekmann placed second in the Extemporaneous division, Verner Carlsen first in Oratorical, Dorine Glasgowe second in Humorous, and Esther Carlsen, third in Dramatic.

Blair was thus entitled to enter Verner Carlsen, Alice Beekmann, and Dorine Glasgowe in the District contest at Plattsmouth on April 10. Once more all did well. Verner Carlsen placed third in the Oratorical class.



Gilbertson, Kelly, Gollehon, Tilden, Peterson
 Hitchman, O'Hanlon, Kirnan, Drewelow, Armstead
 Dixon, Curtis, Vinton, Beekmann

Thirteen Club

Officers

Alice Beekmann	.....	<i>President</i>
Ruth Tilden	.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
Francis Kelly	.....	<i>Secretary and Treasurer</i>
Miss Drewelow	.....	<i>Sponsor</i>

The "13" Club gathered together their number, which the last graduation so drastically depleted, in the latter part of September. Nominations were made by the old members and a generously filled ballot was submitted to the student body. The new members were initiated and everyone set to work.

The first achievement of the group was to form a constitution that definitely stated the purpose and ideals of the club. This duty had been neglected heretofore.

Upon the arrival of the football season the members were caught in an endless whirl of ticket selling and rallies. Home Coming, Thanksgiving,—it all was brought to a climax by the Football Banquet given for the football men.

The basketball season was upon them before the thought of football had been quite dismissed. The season was a busy one for the club. Charlotte Armstead, aided by a few members of the student body, led the basketball enthusiasts in their cheers. Other members of the club displayed their wares for the hungry horde.

This year is the seventh year of existence for the "13" Club of Blair High School and it is the hope of the present members that its existence may prove a real aid in creating fun and enthusiasm for the student body.



Jensen,
Hansen,
Nemetz,

Short,
Gollehon,
Bellows,

Christensen,
Johnston,
Carlson,

Sylvis,
Stricklett,
Gillespie,

Cappis,
Sappenfield,
Campbell,

George,
Erickson,
Gollehon,

Bucklin
Lichliter
Warrick

Officers

John Gillespie	.....	<i>President</i>
Marvin Gollehon	.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
Stanley Jensen	.....	<i>Secretary and Treasurer</i>

The "B" Club

The "B" Club was organized two years ago and consists of members who have earned a letter "B" in athletics.

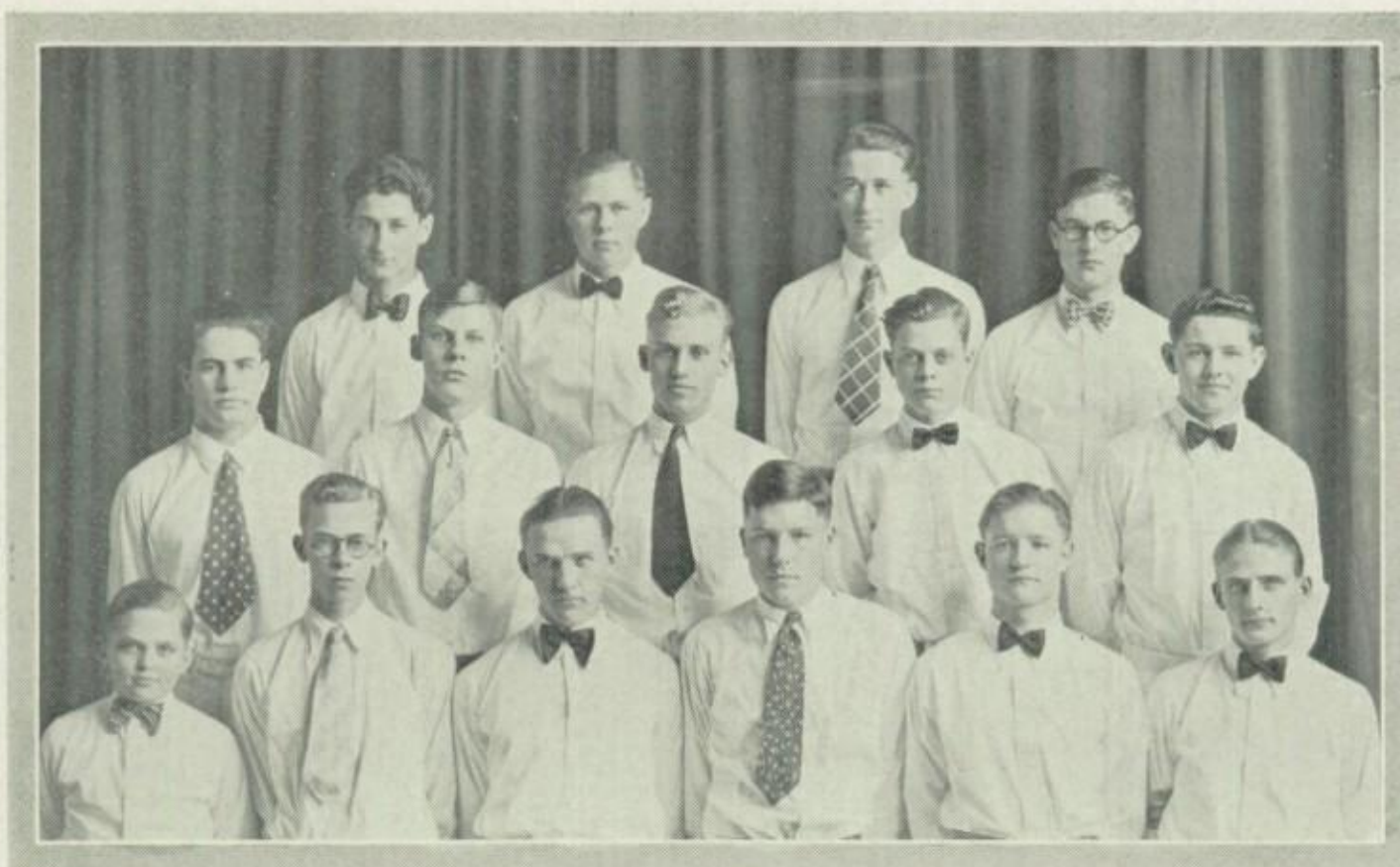
Letters are granted in football, basketball and track. Each member must have played a certain number of quarters in a football or basketball season or have made a number of points in a county or conference track meet, in order to win a letter. When he has done this he is eligible to become a member of the club.

The club usually holds initiation after the football, basketball and track seasons. The new members are admitted at this time. These initiation ceremonies are never forgotten. Many are forced to show their athletic ability.

Meetings are held on the second Tuesday in the month. Boxing, basketball and "what-not" are the source of entertainment at these meetings.

The club has an annual banquet to which the alumni members and faculty are invited.

The new members this year are Verner Carlsen, George Campbell, Clarence Van De Venter, Leslie Hansen, Donald Bellows, Rolland Bucklin, Woodrow Svendgaard, Frederick Nemetz, Roy Christensen, Joe Johnston, Abraham Warrick, Alvin Brumbaugh, Howard Erickson, Russell Sylvis, and Walden George.



French, Voss, Brumbaugh, Husk
 Woods, Jensen, Matz, Brown, Kegler
 Andreassen, Carlsen, Sappenfield, Husk, Johns, Stork

BOYS' GLEE CLUB



Curtiss, Mathews, Beck, Wolff, Robinson
 Knosler, Morgan, Krogh, Tofte, O'Hanlon, Hansen, Badgerow, Wilkins
 Kuhr, McMillan, DeVinney, Stewart, Mencke, Anderson, Erickson, Hansen
 Bates, Kuhr, Jensen, Armstead, Jensen, Siert, Gilbertsen, Nelsen
 Allen, Lund, Stricklette, Anderson, Raver, Nelson, Simonsen

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB



Brown,	Jensen,	Christensen,	Vinton,	Peterson,	H. Peterson,	Vinton,	Terrell
Wolff,	Smith,	Anderson,	Newell,	Gilbertson,	Allen,	Matthiesen,	Tilden
Krogh,	Stewart,	Morris,	Bartley,	Dixon,	Brown,	Andreason,	Glasgow,
Kegler,	Morgan,	Gilbertson,	Wilkins,	Lund,	Armstead,	Farnham,	Jansen
Maher,	Moats,	Hansen,	Allen,	Hemphill,	Siert,	Hitchman,	Dixon
						Simonsen,	Hansen

BAND



Smith,	Tilden,	Wolff,	Maher,	Bartley,	Moats,	Sas,	Krogh
Vinton,	Hansen,	Siert,	Gilbertson,	Allen,	Armstead,	Lund,	Farnham
Mullen,	Hansen,	Tofte,	Simonsen,	Peterson,	Hansen,	Stork,	Voss
Hansen,	Larson,		Hitchman,	Hansen,		French,	Jensen

ORCHESTRA



Raver, Svendgaard, Simonsen, Jensen, Glasgowe, Pemberton
 Anderson, Van Duesen, Pierce, Rodel, Iverson, Grimm, Tucker, Harrison
 Simonsen, Gustin, Anderson, Farnham, Beck, Wolff, Christensen, Capps, Simpson
 Wentworth, Stricklette, Rodel, Newell, Nelson, Morgan, Mackin, Hitchman, Kuir

Girls' Athletic Association

Officers

Doris Beck	President
Harriet Christensen	Treasurer
Miss Eberhart	Sponsor

The Girls' Athletic Association is an innovation in Blair High School, having been organized as a result of the establishing of gymnasium classes in Blair. The purpose of this organization is to encourage recreational activities, and to promote the highest standards of health and sportsmanship.

The organization meets twice each month. One of these meetings is for the purpose of discussing business of the club and the other meeting is in the form of a party for the girls. On Friday afternoons the G. A. A. sponsors a sports class for members who are interested in various sports. The members may earn points for various activities and at the end of the year are awarded letters.

Since we have an excellent gymnasium and equipment as well as a capable instructor, it is hoped that the Girls' Athletic Association will become a flourishing organization of Blair High School in years to come.



Larson, Clausen, Van de Venter, Mundorf, Carmichael, Gallagher, McManigal, Hovendick, Krogh, Schriefer, Eliassen, Hillman, Nohrenburg, Krogh, Guy, Voss, Edwards, Cronstrom, Kiefer, Baker, Johns, Sheets, Hopkins, Weber, Murdoch, Sas, Morris, Pounds, Stricklett, Walters, Swingholm, Pate, Reuling, Larsen, Stewart, Wrich, Petersen, Stewart, Moats, Gilbertson, Jenkins, Allen, Dixon, Beales, Allen, Hewett, Antill, Maynard, Nelsen, Singleton, Golden, Brown, Mundorf, Hanson, Halstead, Anderson, Moran, Wentworth, Carlsen, Matthiesen, McGill, Willmore, Rathman, Hansen, Sorensen, Beaty, Olsen, Axelsen, Johnson, Johns, Stricklett, Reeves, Epperly, Stanley, Foley, Warrick, King, Eberhart.

Girl Reserves

Officers

Betty Moats	President
Catherine Jenkins	Vice-President
Ila Hansen	Secretary
Janet Stewart	Treasurer
Kathryn Sas	Pianist
Elly Marie Larsen	Handicraft Chairman
Georgia Antill	Service Chairman

The Junior High Girl Reserves was organized in October with eighty-two members. The official recognition service was held December 16 at the Methodist church. This club has a business meeting the second Tuesday of every month and a social meeting the fourth Tuesday.

This organization has been active in other ways. They had charge of the sale of Christmas seals for the Tuberculosis Society. They have sent cards, valentines, and gifts to the Orthopedic Hospital at Lincoln. They have made plaques and are now furnishing and decorating a club room which will be used for meetings in the future.

Miss Willmore is chief advisor with an advisory board composed of Miss McGill, Miss Eberhart and Miss King.



Svendgaard,
Nemetz,

Vinton,
Curtiss,

Simonsen,
O'Hanlon,

Christensen,
Farnham,

Mullen
Anderson

Junior Class Play

The play presented by the Juniors, "Skidding", was one of the season's "laugh" events and was entirely successful.

The cast was as follows:

Aunt Milly	Mary Mullin
Andy Hardy	Reed O'Hanlon
Marian Hardy	Helena Simonsen
Wayne Trenton, III	Roy Christensen
Mrs. Hardy	Florence Curtis
Mr. Hardy	Gordon Vinton
Estelle Hardy Campbell	Ruth Farnham
Myra Hardy Wilcox	Hazel Jyne Anderson
Grampa Hardy	Frederick Nemetz
Mr. Stubbins	Woodrow Svendgaard

The plot concerns the general turmoil of the Hardy family at election time. A young daughter arrives, with her own perplexities, to aid her father, a politician, in his fight for office. However, the moment seems to call forth the entire family and their petty grievances, for everyone "goes home to mother". But, of course, in the long run the handsome lover wins his political-minded sweetheart and the family is reunited in all happiness.



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Private Life of Blair High School as Seen by Kelly

- Sept. 1. The first day of school. A sight for sore eyes are all the freshmen be-decked with bright and gaudy colors. The older members get their first real taste of school by licking book covers.
- Sept. 13. Class elections held. Nothing important happened. (Because a secret is divided by two and multiplied by many, rumor hath it that it cost Stan Jensen 35 all-day-suckers to get the Senior class presidency.)
- Sept. 17. The "13" Club holds initiation. Several new members, myself included, partook of raw eggs and then had to roll the shells from here to yonder. A "chili" time was had by all.
- Sept. 27. We played our first football game with Benson. We lost 33—0. Nuff said.
- Oct. 3. Everyone has quietly settled down to hard work and study now. There are exceptions to all rules, expecially this one. Ask A. Peterson.
- Oct. 17. Homecoming. All the grads came back, hardened by many years' experience in the cruel "woild". They tried to tell us how lucky we are to be in school with our 8th hours, examinations, hurling missles, etc.
- Oct. 23. Eddie Jenkins arrived to Sociology class on time today.
- Oct. 24. Adolf Peterson and I did not arrive to Sociology class on time today so we spent a most enjoyable period in Mr. Marren's assembly.
- Nov. 4. They are paving the street north of the school now. Sorry, boys, but you will have to find some other muddy street to play Sir Walter Raleigh on.
- Nov. 16. William Cappis was absent from school today with a severe case of athelete's foot. This is the first time Mr. Cappis has been absent during the entire 14 years he has been attending school.
- Nov. 20. It is noticed that Mr. Flack is losing weight. Probably with the intentions of gaining it back Thanksgiving.
- Nov. 27. Turkey Day. Everyone made a glutton of himself and couldn't yell at the football game. That's why we lost. (I saw Mr. Flack this afternoon and I was right in my suspicions.)

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- Dec. 6. Football banquet. One of the most colorful events of the entire year. The evening was topped off when Coach Lichliter made a 5 yard dash for a dish of ice cream.
- Dec. 9. Mr. Flack ushered two boys into the great out of doors and let them commune with nature for three whole days.
- Dec. 18. Every one is taking his book home today. Oh, yes, they are going to study during Christmas vacation or else they still believe in Santa Claus.
- Jan. 5. Everyone came back to school today wearing his Christmas presents. I guess, from the looks of things, that it did them some good to take their books home, after all.
- Jan. 15. Semester exams, today and tomorrow. Examinations don't worry us smart seniors.
- Jan. 22. Report cards were given out today. Some were "lost" on the way home, probably because the teachers were so patriotic.
- Jan. 28. Marvin Gollehon, Jr., had his Caesar lesson. There is no snow on the ground as yet.
- Feb. 2. Adolf Peterson's Chevvy was sadly wrecked today. No one was hurt but I surmise from the actions of several girls that they are happy that cars tell no tales.
- Feb. 12. Alice Beekmann, editor of the Tattler, gave a dinner for the staff at her home. Upon the request of the honored guest, Mr. Flack, I canvassed all the drug stores and as there was no arsenic sold, we all ate heartily.
- Feb. 19 to 21. Basketball tournament. Many teams played and visited our school. Half of the teams won and those that didn't win, lost. (Ask Alsyne Smith why she witnessed all the Craig games.)
- Feb. 28. A. Peterson was awarded the tin-foil loving cup for most 8th hours. Jiggs McCormick had more in number but was declared ineligible because he whistles with his mouth closed.
- March 4. Congress adjourned at 12 o'clock today. So did we—for an hour and ten minutes.
- March 9. Big mystery solved. Upon very close observance, I notice that some of the girls are walking a mile every day, and those that are not walking a mile are refraining from sweets. (Scales don't lie.)
- March 17. Now is the time for all good Irishmen to come to the aid of St. Pat. (We did.)

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- March 21. Spring began today. It is noticed that the boys are getting ideas about "this and that" already. Joe Johnson says he even saw Ruthy Tilden doing the dance of the simps on her lawn the other night.
- March 29. Miss Buser spent the week-end in Iowa City. Of course it was the duty of four Blairites to go over and get her Sunday night. Everybody had a good time with friends in Mo. Valley before train time. (Ask Alice Beekmann about looking at the moon through a telescope.)
- April 1. A few *youngsters*, Peterson, O'Hanlon, Beales, etc., were taking advantage of the day and started pulling the same childish tricks that they pulled in the third grade. Mr. Flack received an empty walnut.
- April 3. Horace Carmichael was nearly mutilated in the halls yesterday noon. He was caught in the stampede and trampled right into the floor. He was not found until five after four when Jess Burger, walking the halls looking for pennies, stumbled over him.
- April 6. Two girls, Nelson and Curtis, are evidently getting into the spirit of the season of spring as it was advertised that they would like to date Mr. Willie Wilson, a newcomer to our bastille.
- April 10. Riot guns, tear gas bombs, all four of the local police and other prominent people, who wish to make Blair a desirable place to live in, were called to action the other day when word got around that spring was here. Someone saw a sure sign. Everyone stampeded around the school-house looking for it and upon looking under Mr. Flack's desk, they found what they wanted, Austin Brooks Beales, Jr., garbed in yellow and black checked golf knickers.
- April 14. "Pansy" was moved from its winter place of hibernation to the Grimm farm where it will be stored for the spring. A glance at its modernistic fenders, the eight pictures of its owners adorning any spot desirable, the signs on its cushions, etc., brought back many memories, good and otherwise. It would have been in the height of its glory these sunny days and moonlight nights. Don't get excited as I'm describing "Pansy", not our dear old Ford's experiences.
- April 17. While reading to the class of the duel between Shakespeare and Julius Caesar, Mr. Marren became highly excited, grabbed up a yard stick and went through several impossible actions. Due to his own quick thinking and action, Bill Sylvis, who sits, or did sit, in the front row, dodged a quick parry and thrust, thereby saving himself from a severe gashing.
- April 21. Miss Willmore was severely frightened the other day while working at a sewing machine. She glanced up and saw the head of some wild looking African hunter, waving to and fro in front of her window. The school's most popular sleuth, Mr. Marren, with the aid of the science of deduction, came to the conclusion that Bus O'Hanlon was the artist.
- April 27. All the boys are making quite a stir over something and it has blonde hair and its name is Virginia Andreason.

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- May 1. The home stretch. The seniors are doing some very rash things so that their names will go down in school history.
- May 6. The school has at least one nationally noted personage. Charles Woods broke all endurance records in staying in the air 13 seconds on his 3-foot model glider but was forced to come down on account of a dog fight.
- May 13. An unlucky day. As Roy C. stooped and laffed he felt quite a draft. He knew he had "tore'm" so he came to school in the afternoon with a new pair of pants.
- May 18. Events are happening fast. In fact, so fast that I can't write them all but it's just the ordinary things that take place at the last of the year. (I'm getting a funny feeling, some of the other Seniors complained too, I wonder what could be the matter?????)
- May 22. It's all over. We received our report cards today. To think that we worked twelve years for that piece of cardboard. Anyway, I've noticed some Seniors walking around the halls looking at different things, probably places where they had been hit with a paper wad or had water spilt on them or where they had written their name, etc.
- I hope you've enjoyed reading this as much as I have enjoyed writing it.

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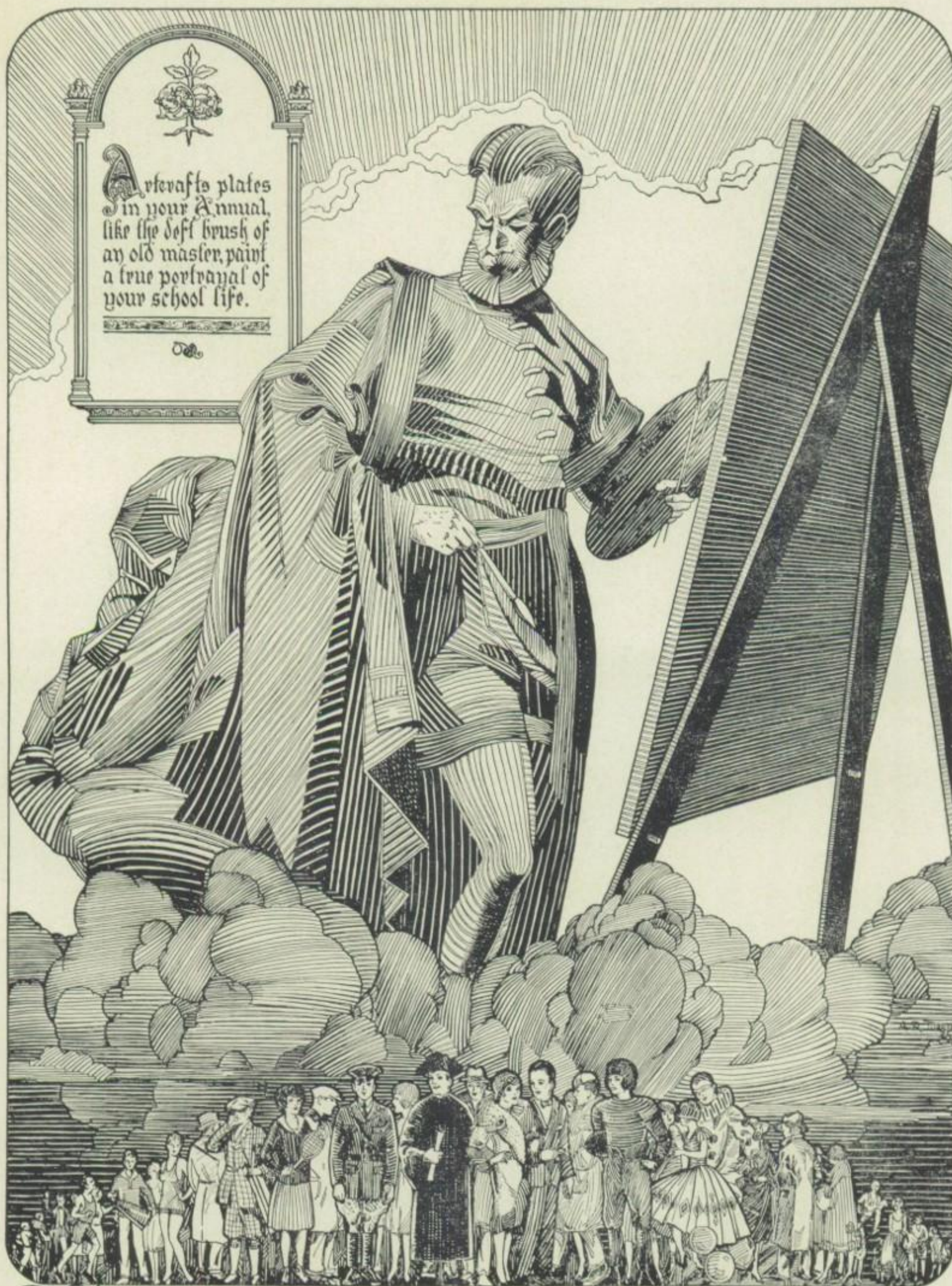
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